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Sir:

In response to the "Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment" dated January 14, 2004, with a one-month response time set to expire February 14, 2004, we herewith resubmit pages 3-6 (Amendment to the Claims) of the "Request and Amendment Under 37 CFR §1.114" which was filed December 29, 2003.

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